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: WHEEL CLAD ASSEMBLY

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Transmitted herewith are a Return Postcard and a Response (12 pages) in the above-identified application.

Any fee for additional claims has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Col. 1		Col. 2	Col. 3	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total Claims	33	Minus	33	= 0	x \$25	\$0.00	X \$ 50	\$0.00
Independent Claims	14	Minus	6	= 8	x 100	\$800.00	X \$200	\$0.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims \$180						\$0.00	X \$360	\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$800.00		\$0.00

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1.		Small entity status of this application 37 CFR §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted or is enclosed.
2. 3.		No additional fee is required. A fee of \$800.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this
		response is enclosed.
4.		A fee of \$ to cover the application size fee is enclosed.
5.	X	Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16 2463. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

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